



Denver Water Transmission and Distribution crews have been working the land adjacent to Cheesman Reservoir that was burned in the 2002 Hayman fire. Workers have been “contour felling” trees destroyed by the fire. Trees are cut and placed perpendicular to the slope of the land, in efforts to slow soil erosion. Workers have also constructed straw-bale “dams” to protect the area from erosion. The bales are anchored by four-foot stakes driven into the ground. The work is expected to continue through April 2003.